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Welcome to Vol. 2 Number 011 of the Radio H.F. Internet Newsletter. Previous issues of this newsletter can be found at the following URL:

http://www.anarc.org/cidx/radiohf/index.html

Cold weather and, in some areas snow, has already arrived here in the northeast. I hope are comfortable and warm, snuggled around your radios and computers. If you have an interesting site or two which you would like to share with other subscribers, please take a moment to send along the URL with a brief summary of the site to our e-mail address:

hfnewsletter@yahoo.com

Remember that contributors are entitled to a 2% discount on their next purchases from Radio H.F.

Now, on to this month's material. We have just experienced one of the most interesting national elections anywhere, the U.S. Presidential Election. As we distribute this month's edition, the result is still in limbo. With all that going on, we here in Canada are in the midst of our own Federal election campaign. I doubt if we will have anywhere near the excitement generated by our friends south of the border, but it is an important event for our country, none the less. To mark this event, I have a special Election Zone included in this month's

edition. It features the national Elections Canada site, as well as the official sites of Canada's national political parties. I am sure our Canadian subscribers will find this information useful. It should also help and U.S. and international readers understand a little bit more about Canada, our political process, and the parties in the running.

In the Publicity Zone this month, we have the first look at the new Yaesu FT-817 5 watt backpack transceiver. It looks like quite a unit, certainly something that would look just great under the Christmas tree this year!

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## THE COMMENTS ZONE

DAVID GOREN: Thanks (for your Newsletter). I find it very useful.

BOB SAYERS, Worcestershire, England: Thanks, always read (the Newsletter) with interest.

RICHARD CUFF, Timonium, Maryland: Another nice effort with the Radio H.F. E newsletter.

## THE CONTRIBUTORS ZONE

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## THE RADIO ZONE

## SHORTWAVE BROADCASTS IN ENGLISH

http://www.addx.de/Hfpdat/hfpe.htm

VIA Andre Perrella, Montreal, Quebec

Shortwave schedule information prepared by Andreas Volk of Germany.

## SHORTWAVE BROADCASTS IN FRENCH

http://www.addx.de/Hfpdat/hfpf.htm

VIA Andre Perrella, Montreal, Quebec

Shortwave schedule information for French broadcasts prepared by Andreas Volk of Germany

## FRENCH RADIO AND TV RESOURCES

http://globegate.utm.edu/french/topics/tv.and.radio.html

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

International radio and TV links for French language services

## RANDOM ACCESS LABS

http://www.ralabs.com

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Bob Arnold, N2JEU provides a way to learn more about the Internet, in support of amateur radio, scanning and shortwave radio. Included are radio hobby links, audio/video files, space & science and electronics/robotics links

## PATEPLUMA INTERNATIONAL RADIO

http://donmoore.tripod.com/index.html

VIA Don Moore, Davenport, Iowa

This site of international radio information was featured in a previous edition, but Don contacts us to inform us that the site has changed locations plus a lot of updated information has been added.

## DX LINKS

http://www.geocities.com/Colosseum/Park/3232/dxlinks/index.htm

VIA Joe Hanlon, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

A collection of DX stations, media pages, station lists, databases, etc.

## DX HOMEPAGE OF KLAUS DIETER SCHOLZ

http://www.urlaubsradio.de/links.htm

VIA Klaus Dieter Scholz, Erfurt, Germany

A collection of links to all aspects of radio

## RADIO GUIDE USA

http://www.radioguide.com

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

What's new, newsbites, Top 100 city station lists and profiles, DJ profiles, format guides & links.

## RADIO PIPELINE

http://www.radiopipeline.com

VIA Wilhelm Eilertsen, Oslo, Norway

Streaming a collection of particular music genres 24 hours a day from several different broadcasting formats.

## AIR SICK PRODUCTIONS

http://www.airsick.net

VIA Wilhelm Eilertsen, Oslo, Norway

On the cutting edge of radio comedy, this site features some great song parodies, many heard on various national and local radio shows.

## GUMBO PAGES RADIO STUFF

http://www.gumbopages.com/radio-home.html

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Created by Chuck Taggart, a music programmer and DJ, this site features a collection of non-commercial, roots music related websites, with many audio files.

## DARNELL'S BLACK RADIO GUIDE

http://www.radioblack.com

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

A guide to radio stations around the world with formats catering to black, urban, African American markets. Over 900 listings and over 250 Internet stations.

## WISDOM RADIO NETWORK

http://www.wisdommedia.com

VIA Richard Cuff, Timonium, Maryland

An internet, radio and TV network providing a programme slate focusing on personal growth, alternative medicine, social consciousness, spirituality, relationships and global issues.

## RADIO FREE NEW YORK

http://rfny.simplenet.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

A great collection of free radio & pirate related material, including historical recordings of shows,

stations, jingles, photos, etc. presented by pirate legend Hank Hayes.

### WDOA

http://www.wdoa.com

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

An internet radio station, free form, non profit, in Worcester, Massachusetts, including archived shows, photos and station history.

### NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF STANDARD TIME

http://www.bldrdoc.gov/timefreq/

VIA Larry Dolan, Pierrefonds, Quebec

All about time, and the radio services of stations WWV, WWVH and WWVB, plus related topics

### MULTI USER RADIO SERVICE (MURS) HOMEPAGE

http://www.provide.net/~prsg/murshome.htm

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The latest news, frequently asked questions, and operating rules for this new wireless radio service.

### NEW YORK PUBLIC SAFETY BY N2NOV

http://www.n2nov.net

VIA Eddie Muro, Long Island, New York

Maintained by Charles Hargrove, this is the ultimate site for New York City public safety frequencies.

### ED MURO K2EPM WEB SITE

http://hometown.aol.com/kc2ayc/index.html

VIA Eddie Muro, Long Island, New York

A collection of various sites of interest, many scanning and radio related.

### RTTY FAN CLUB

http://www.geocities.com/rttyfanclub/

VIA Sotiris Katsimaglis, Athens, Greece

Operating details, contests, DX bulletins, clubs, hardware and software, other modes and links for the radioteletype fan.

### ELECTRONIC QSL CARD CENTER

http://www.eQSL.cc

VIA Bill Flynn, Cave Junction, Oregon

This could be the future of QSL collecting for the amateur community. Over 650,000 e cards have now changed hands from over 134 countries.

## AMSAT DOWNLOADABLE SOFTWARE

http://www.amsat.org/amsat/ftpsoft.html

VIA Robert Lajoie, Longueuil, Quebec

Various downloadable software programs related to amateur satellite.

## AMATEUR RADIO ON THE INTERNATIONAL SPACE STATION

http://ariss.gsfc.nasa.gov/

VIA Robert Lajoie, Longueuil, Quebec

Press releases, photos and tracking resources for the International Space Station.

## BRUCE'S RADIO PAGES

http://www2.50megs.com/gideon/radio/

VIA Bruce Atchison, Radway, Alberta

Some simple radio receiver articles, by Bruce, a Canadian electronic music composer.

## NEW JERSEY ANTIQUE RADIO CLUB

http://www.eht.com/oldradio/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Details of the club, plus links to other sites on vintage radio.

## NSS NAVAL RADIO TRANSMITTING FACILITY

http://hawkins.pair.com/nss.shtml

VIA Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario

A technical discussion and tour, created by Jim Hawkins, of the now closed U.S. Navy NSS transmitter site, a high powered, VLF facility.

## WAPLAND.COM

http://wapland.com

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

News and reviews for a wireless world.

## WORLDSPACE

http://www.worldspace.com

VIA Robert Ellis, Beaconsfield, Quebec

Learn about the Worldspace Corporation, providing digital audio and multimedia programmes from

satellite to compact portable receivers.

### MOST INFLUENTIAL WOMEN IN RADIO

http://www.radiomiw.com

VIA Wilhelm Eilertsen, Oslo, Norway

This group's mission is to put more women in positions of leadership in the radio industry, on broadcasting company boards and radio associations.

### ENTERTAINMENT XPRESS

http://www.entertainment-xpress.com

VIA Wilhelm Eilertsen, Oslo, Norway

David Tyler, of Mix 96 in Montreal, developed this site as a one-stop source of information for busy disc jockies.

### WHY IS THERE NO CHANNEL 1?

http://www.discovery.com/area/skinnyon/skinnyon971031/skinnyon.html

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Ever wonder what happened to Channel 1 on your TV set? Well, here is the answer.

## THE GENERAL ZONE

### TRAINWEB

http://www.trainweb.com

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Are you a rail buff, or just interested in trains? Trainweb has everything to do with Canadian and US trains and related subjects, including railroad radio information.

### JUGHEAD'S INFORMATION STATION

http://www.teleport.com/~jughead/index.html

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

A collection of information on electronics, wireless, computers, data communications, and video.

### R.C.A.F. SNOWBIRDS

http://www.rcaf.com/snowbirds/index.htm

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The story of the Canadian air demonstration team, with their history, their aircraft, formations and many photographs.

## SPITFIRE AND HURRICANE MEMORIAL

http://www.spitfire-museum.com

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Dedicated to the pilots and aircrews who gave so much.

## ARMED FORCES OF THE WORLD

http://www.cfcsc.dnd.ca/links/milorg/index.html

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Links, by country, to official military servers, plus other defense information. A service of National Defense Canada

## FLIGHT SERVICE SPECIALIST

http://www.atsac.ca/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Providing aviation safety services across Canada. Take the FSS tour and explore services and various aviation links.

## LIGHTHOUSES, LIGHT SHIPS & LIFESAVING STATIONS

http://www.maine.com/lights/www_vl.htm

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Links to sites and listings, by country.

## NAVIGATORS, MARINERS & HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEYORS

http://www.microplot.co.uk/sis/sisug/navsites.html

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

A collection of sites relating to GPS, navigation, ports and ferries, shipping info, port authorities, maritime bodies, colleges, associations & institutes.

## WIRED FOR BOOKS

http://www.tcom.ohiou.edu/books/

VIA Chet Copeland, New York, New York

A creation of the Ohio University Telecommunications Centre, this site has on demand audio of lectures, poetry, essays and stories, many of them read by the authors.

## SOUNDPLAY

http://www.soundplay.co.uk/

VIA Wilhelm Eilertsen, Oslo, Norway

The new home of quality audio drama on the Internet

## ENCYBERPEDIA

http://www.cyberpedia.com

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The on line living encyclopedia

## ROCK AND ROLL HALL OF FAME

http://www.rockhall.com

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The official site of the Hall of Fame in Cleveland, Ohio, with details of the inductees, the exhibits, and special related features and links.

## SPECIAL: THE ELECTION ZONE

November 27, 2000 is the day of the national Federal election in Canada. To mark this occasion, we provide you with some websites which will help you to better understand the election, the issues, the parties, and the Canadian electoral system. Let's hope it doesn't get as complicated and controversial as the recent U.S. election.

## ELECTIONS CANADA

http://www.elections.ca

The website of the non partisan agency responsible for conducting Federal elections and referendums in Canada

Here are the websites of the official political parties running candidates in this Federal election.

## LIBERAL PARTY OF CANADA

http://www.liberal.ca

## PROGRESSIVE CONSERVATIVE PARTY OF CANADA

http://www.pcparty.ca

## CANADIAN REFORM CONSERVATIVE ALLIANCE

http://www.canadianalliance.ca

## NEW DEMOCRATIC PARTY

http://www.ndp.ca

## BLOC QUEBECOIS

http://www.blocquebecois.org

## CANADIAN ACTION PARTY

http://www.canadianactionparty.ca

## COMMUNIST PARTY OF CANADA

http://www.communist-party.ca

### MARIJUANA PARTY

http://www.marijuanaparty.com

### MARXIST LENINIST PARTY OF CANADA

http://www.cpcml.ca

### NATURAL LAW PARTY

http://www.natural-law.ca

### GREEN PARTY OF CANADA

http://green.ca

## THE FUN & SERVICES ZONE

### WINGRAB

http://w1.2518.telia.com/~u251800188/wg/index.html

VIA Eddie Muro, Long Island, New York

A free computer program that captures a web page on your screen and sends it directly to your printer using the Print Screen button.

### FIND A GRAVE

http://www.findagrave.com

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Search for details of the graves of famous people, including photos, by name, location, claim to fame, birth and death dates. Also a non-famous search of over 2.5 million records by surnames, plus search cemeteries around the world.

### ROTTEN.COM

http://www.rotten.com

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The soft, white underbelly of the net eviscerated for all to see. Images and information from many sources to present the viewer with a truly unpleasant experience. Be sure to check out the Daily Rotten section.

### JOSE'S WORLD OF THE WEIRD

http://www.citilink.com/~jgarrick/weird/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

A great collection of weird things found on the web, including strange, but mostly true, hard to believe, and the lighter side.

### META WEIRDNESS

http://www.sff.net/people/SASwann/personal/mweird.htp

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

A list of lists of the strange, bizarre, unnatural, twisted, ill-advised, stupid and just plain weird. Over 250 links.

### DISGRACELAND

http://www.nwlink.com/~timelvis/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The Cybermansion of Tim-Elvis, a humourous tribute to Elvis and his fans.

### THE PUBLICITY ZONE RADIO H.F.

### CANADA'S SPECIALIST IN SHORTWAVE, SCANNING, AMATEUR RADIO, ANTENNAS, ACCESSORIES & PUBLICATIONS, SINCE 1995. PLEASE CHECK OUT THE NEW RADIO H.F. WEBSITE AT:

http://www.total.net/~radiohf

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### AMATEUR EQUIPMENT SPECIALS FOR NOVEMBER 2000

A.D.I. AT-201HP 2m 5W portable $ 199
A.D.I. AR-147 PLUS 2m mobile $ 269
ICOM IC-718 New HF base $1149
ICOM IC-706MKIIG all mode mobile $1649
ICOM IC-207H Dual band mobile $ 489
ICOM IC-2100H 2 meter mobile $ 289
ICOM IC-2800 New dual band mobile $ 799
ICOM IC-T22H 2m portable $ 389
ICOM IC-T2H 2m portable $ 239
KENWOOD TS-50 HF mobile $ 999
KENWOOD TM-261A 2m mobile $ 279
KENWOOD TM-461A 70cm mobile $ 499
KENWOOD TM-V7A Dual band mobile $ 699
KENWOOD TM-D700A Dual band mobile $ 999
KENWOOD TH-D7A data communicator $ 549
KENWOOD TH-G71A mil-spec Dual portable $ 349
YAESU NEW FT-1000M-KV Base $4899
YAESU FT-920 HF/6m base station $2199
YAESU FT-840 HF base station $1049
YAESU FT-600 HF mobile $1249
YAESU FT-2600M 2m mobile $ 319
YAESU FT-3000m 2m mobile 70 watts $ 629
YAESU FT-8100 dual band mobile $ 649
YAESU FT-90R New dual band mobile $ 549
YAESU NEW FT-100D Mobile $1749
YAESU NEW FT-817 5w QRP 160m-70cm $1149
YAESU FT-50RDH portable $ 379
YAESU VX-1R miniature HT $ 229
YAESU FT-VX150 2m portable $ 239

## POPULAR AMATEUR FAVOURITES

ALINCO DJ-195TH 2m portable $ 199
ALINCO DR-140TQ 2m mobile $ 299
ICOM IC-756 PRO HF station $3999
ICOM IC-746 HF/6m/2m base station $2299
ICOM IC-821H all mode VHF/UHF base $1999
ICOM IC-T81A 4 band portable $ 499
ICOM IC-W32A dual band portable $ 449
ICOM IC-T7H Dual band portable 6 watts $ 349
KENWOOD TM-G707A dualband mobile $ 539
KENWOOD TH-22AT 2m portable $ 269
KENWOOD TS-570SG HF/6m base station $1899
KENWOOD TS-570DG HF base station $1699
YAESU FT-847 HF, 6m, 2m & 70cm $2399
YAESU NEW FT-1500 2m mobile $ 299
YAESU VX-5R New Triband portable $ 499
ALINCO DJ-V5EH w/800 cellular coverage $ 449
ALINCO DR-610TQ Dual band $ 779
ALINCO DX-70TH HF & 6m base $1299

Other models of Icom, Kenwood and Yaesu, Alinco, A.D.I. and Standard, plus all accessories for all brands also available.

## RECEIVERS & SCANNERS

ICOM IC-PCR100 PC Receiver $ 349
ICOM IC-PCR1000 PC Receiver w/SSB $ 799
ICOM IC-R2 tiny wideband receiver $ 369
ICOM IC-R3 wideband receiver NEW $ 899
ICOM IC-R10E portable receiver $ 699
DRAKE R8B communications receiver $1879
DRAKE SW-8 communications receiver $1340
GRUNDIG YB-300PE Portable SW $ 99
GRUNDIG YB-400PE Portable SW w/SSB $ 229
GRUNDIG SATELLIT MILLENNIUM 800 $ 779
SONY ICF-2010 Top Shortwave portable $ 579
SONY ICF-SW7600G Shortwave portable $ 299
SONY ICF-SW40 Shortwave portable $ 190
ALINCO DJ-X10 Wide band receiver $ 599
ALINCO NEW DJ-X2 wide band receiver $ 449
A.O.R. NEW AR-8200 Mark II receiver $ 999
YUPITERU MVT-7100 receiver $ 549
YUPITERU MVT-9000MKII receiver $ 899
UNIDEN BC-245XLT Trunktracker II Port. $ 449
UNIDEN SC-200 200ch w/CTCSS $ 379
UNIDEN BC-9000XLT 500ch w/CTCSS $ 859

Other models of shortwave receivers and scanners available from AOR, Drake, Lowe, Grundig, Sony, Sangean, Uniden, Welz and Icom.

## FAMILY RADIO SERVICE (FRS)

We now have a good selection of these popular units available. Here are the models and prices currently available from Radio H.F.

### COBRA

FRS-100-2 (2 pack) $129
FRS-220CH 14ch CTCSS $ 99
FRS-250 14 ch, CTCSS $129
FRS-300 14ch, CTCSS $159
FRS-310WX 14ch, Weather $179

### CHEROKEE

FR-460 14ch, CTCSS $129

### KENWOOD

UBZ-LH14 14ch CTCSS $129

### MIDLAND

75-507 14 ch, Vox $ 69
75-507-2 (2 pack) 14 ch, Vox $138
75-515 14ch, CTCSS $119

### MAXON

TK14-1C 14 ch, CTCSS $ 69
TK14-2CAS CTCSS, Compass $149
TK514 Base Model. TBA

### UNIDEN

FRS-1400 14ch, compact $ 99

### ICOM

IC-4008 14ch, CTCSS $139

### MOTOROLA

FR-50 14 channels $ 69
FR-60 14 ch, CTCSS $ 79
T289AA 14ch, CTCSS $159
T289NiMH Same w/Nmih bat. $199
Spirit GT $299

## FEATURE PRODUCT - NOVEMBER 2000
## YAESU FT-817 5 WATT BACKPACK TRANSCEIVER

A new exciting transceiver is soon to be available from Yaesu. The FT-817 is an all mode 5 watt backpack sized transceiver. It will cover 160 through 10 meters on HF; 6 and 2 meters and 70 cm. On receive, it will cover 100 kHz. to 56 MHz.; 76 to 154 MHz.; and 420 to 470 MHz. All this is offered in a 2.6 pound unit! The price of the unit is $1149, and of course, will be available from Radio H.F. To view a photo, and examine the specifications and features of this new unit, go to:

http://www.yaesu.com/amateur/ft817.html

## PUBLICATIONS:

Just a reminder that the special prices on a number of new publications are still in effect until November 30, 2000. If you haven't already ordered your copies of the following new releases, please do so without further delay.

## NOTE: FOR U.S. OR INTERNATIONAL CLIENTS

If you are in the U.S. or elsewhere, please contact me for special U.S. pricing on these products.

1) THE 2001 A.R.R.L. HANDBOOK - 78th Edition
SPECIAL PRICE: $48.00 plus GST = $51.36
NOW AVAILABLE

## 2) CD ROM VERSION of 2001 ARRL HANDBOOK

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AVAILABLE NOVEMBER 2000

## 3) 19TH EDITION A.R.R.L. ANTENNA BOOK

SPECIAL PRICE: $45.00 plus GST = $48.15
NOW AVAILABLE

## 4) CD ROM VERSION of ARRL ANTENNA BOOK

SPECIAL PRICE: $60.00 plus GST = $64.20
AVAILABLE DECEMBER 2000

## 5) 2001 EDITION OF PASSPORT TO WORLD BAND RADIO

SPECIAL PRICE: $29.91 plus GST = $32.00
NOW AVAILABLE

## 6) 21st EDITION NATIONAL RADIO CLUB AM RADIO LOG

SPECIAL PRICE: $30.00 plus GST = $32.10
NOW AVAILABLE

## 7) RADIO AMATEUR CALLBOOK CD ROM 2001

SPECIAL PRICE: $74.95 plus GST = $80.20
NOW AVAILABLE

To order, send your cheque or money order payable to Radio H.F., or contact me by telephone or by e-mail. Mastercard or Visa are accepted at Radio H.F.

## OTHER BOOKS, PUBLICATIONS & CD ROMS

**RAC NEW BASIC STUDY GUIDE $36.00**
**RAC OPERATING MANUAL $18.50**
**ARRL NEW- HINTS & KINKS-15TH ED. $22.50**
**ARRL NEW- REPEATER DIRECTORY 2000/2001 $12.00**
**ARRL NEW- OPERATING MANUAL-7TH ED. $37.50**
**ARRL NEW- MORE WIRE ANTENNA CLASSICS $21.00**
**ARRL NEW- STEALTH AMATEUR RADIO $22.50**
**ARRL NEW- HF DIGITAL HANDBOOK $22.50**
**ARRL NEW- APRS- TRACKS, MAPS & MOBILES $22.50**
**ARRL DXCC LIST $ 4.50**
**ARRL 5TH EDITION-SATELLITE ANTHOLOGY $22.50**
**ARRL ANTENNA COMPENDIUM #6 w/CD ROM $29.95**
**ARRL NET DIRECTORY - 1999/2000 $ 6.50**
**ARRL WIRE ANTENNA CLASSICS $21.00**
**ARRL NEW- NCJ CD ROM 1973-1998 $59.95**
**ARRL QEX CD ROM 1981-1998 $59.95**
**2000 ED.- WORLD RADIO TV HANDBOOK $37.95**
**NEW JOE CARR'S LOOP ANTENNA HANDBOOK $29.95**
**NATIONAL RADIO CLUB LOOP ANTENNA DESIGN $19.95**
**FM ATLAS- NEW 18TH EDITION $29.95**
**SHORTWAVE RECEIVERS PAST & PRESENT $37.95**
**HARUTEQ SCANNER BOOK - QUEBEC/MARITIMES $24.95**
**HARUTEQ SCANNER BOOK - ONTARIO $24.95**

Radio H.F. is the Canadian home for all publications of Radio Amateurs of Canada, Radio Amateur du Quebec, the American Radio Relay League (ARRL), and Radio Society of Great Britain (RSGB). We also have Canada's largest selection of books on vintage receivers such as Heathkit, Zenith, Philco and Hallicrafters, plus books on repairing and restoring old radios. All of these books are available by mail order from Radio H.F. Recently added to our catalog is a wide selection of CD Roms from ARRL, RSGB and others.

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http://www.schifferbooks.com

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## THE PUBLICITY ZONE HAMFEST/FLEAMARKET CALENDAR

The Hamfest/Fleamarket season has wrapped up for this year. If you or your club are staging an event in the new year, please send me the details and I will gladly add it to our calendar for next year.

## THE PUBLICITY ZONE CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DX CLUB

CIDX is Canada's national radio monitoring club, serving radio hobbyists since 1962. Our monthly newsletter, Messenger, covers all aspects of the radio monitoring hobby. Our November edition is now available. Sample copies are available for $2.00 each, in Canada or the U.S., or $3 overseas. Membership is open to radio hobbyists worldwide. Visit the CIDX website for complete information, as well as special features and website profiles, or for a membership application.

http://www.anarc.org/cidx/

CIDX also now has a new Yahoo On Line Club Room where members and guests can meet, post news items and meet in the chat room. Regularly scheduled chats are held each Tuesday evening at 9 PM Eastern time (0200 UTC Wednesday). To join in, go to the following URL:

http://clubs.yahoo.com/clubs/cidxclub

## THE PUBLICITY ZONE INTERNATIONAL RADIO REPORT

The International Radio Report, on CKUT-FM Radio McGill, 90.3 FM in Montreal, is available via the Internet on RealAudio, Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM Eastern (1430 UTC). I, and co-host Bill Westenhaver, present this weekly half-hour of news, information and developments in radio broadcasting. Visit the Radio McGill webpage for full CKUT programming:

http://www.ckut.ca

It is also possible to listen to the International Radio Report when you like. A webpage has been set up with archived editions of the programme. Thanks to the initiative of Ricky Leong, of Brossard, Quebec, you now have the programme available on demand on the following website:

http://members.fortunecity.com/crazyaboutradio/

You can send your comments to the International Radio Report by e-mail to radioreport@yahoo.com

## THE PUBLICITY ZONE MONTREAL DX LISTENERS NET

Every Sunday evening, on the West Island Amateur Radio Club Repeater, 146.910 MHz., following the swap net at 8 PM Eastern, tune in for the Montreal DX Listeners Net, featuring news about all aspects of radio; shortwave, AM/FM, utilities, scanning, amateur radio. Included are listening tips, developments in broadcasting, reception reports, HF and scanner frequency information, special topics, questions and comments. This net has been running for almost 7 years, and has close to 500 different participants during this period. The net is operated by Sheldon Harvey, VE2SHW. Please feel free to participate. The Swap Net begins at 8 PM, followed by a calendar of events including upcoming hamfests, amateur radio contests and special events amateur stations, plus a list of local events and meetings. The DX Net usually begins around 8:20 to 8:30 PM Eastern, and runs to approximately 10 PM.

## THE PUBLICITY ZONE RADIO CANADA INTERNATIONAL

You can hear my bi-weekly "CIDX Report" on Radio Canada International, Canada's international shortwave broadcaster, on the Maple Leaf Mailbag Show. Find the times and frequencies on the Radio Canada International website:

http://www.rcinet.ca

The RCI website has been completely revised. New programming is now also airing on the station. RCI also has a free e-mail available worldwide which issues daily releases of news and information from Canada. If you would like to subscribe to this free service, following the instructions on the RCI website.

When you travel abroad, take Canada with you, with Radio Canada International on shortwave.

That's all for this month. Radio H.F. operates a mail, telephone and on line business, with great products, great prices, and personalized service.

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http://www.anarc.org/cidx/radiohf/index.html

Best wishes and 73 from
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